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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

AMERICAN GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY.

To the Honorable the Legislature of the State of New York:

In presenting the annual report of this Society, as required by the act of April 8, 1871, we beg leave to say that the charter, amended charter, organization, and general business, embracing a complete history of the Society's operations during 1874, will be found in the following pages. The papers which have been read before it, the contributions from explorers in distant lands, and the hearty coöperation of men of science, and all departments of the State and general government, are evidences of the usefulness as a public institution. At no time in its history has the Society enjoyed greater prosperity, and at no time has there been evinced a stronger desire on the part of the Fellows to realize in the highest degree the objects set forth in the charter.

(Signed)

CHAS. P. DALY,

President.

ALVAN S. SOUTHWORTH,

Recording Secretary.